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1. Informalities Objected to:

Re: The Reference that " The specification should be amended to make reference to the 3/8 - 16 threads".

The reference to 3/8 - 16 threads was made in the Claims 1. (Currently Amended) submitted 12/08/2008 in response to Office Action of 09/16/2008 and is repeated in this attached submission of Claims 1. (Currently Amended).

2. Quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103 (a) reviewed as pertaining to the objections set forth in the Office Action of 01/16/2009; especially as regards "Patentability shall not be negated by the manner in which the invention was made".